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EO 11652: NA  
TAGS: BPRO YO  
SUBJ: STOPANSKA BANKA, SKOPJE

REF: STATE 297306, STATE 302280

1. STOPANSKA BANKA IS THE MAJOR BANK IN THE REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA AND HAS AN ACTIVE AND IMPORTANT ROLE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THAT REGION. AS AN OFFICIALLY-DESIGNATED UNDERDEVELOPED REGION UNDER THE CURRENT FIVE-YEAR PLAN, MACEDONIA IS RECEIVING SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDS TO AID ITS DEVELOPMENT AT A FASTER RATE THAN YUGOSLAVIA AS A WHOLE. THE REQUEST FOR AN INCREASE IN CFF REFLECTS THIS PRIORITY DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY.

2. EMBASSY KNOWS OF NO POLITICAL OR ECONOMIC REASON WHY THE ONE YEAR EXTENSION AND \$3 MILLION INCREASE IN CFF REQUESTED BY STOPANKSA BANKA SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED.

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